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## <u>PATENT APPLICATION</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PAT	ENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
In re Application of: YUJI KONNO ET AL. Application No.: 09/645,318	2700 NOV 200 NOV 100 N
Filed: August 25, 2000	: )
For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD, AND STORAGE MEDIUM	) October 31, 2000
Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

## CONCLUSION It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered. Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below. Respectfully submitted,

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